

THE COUNTY AGENT AND FARM BUREAU

BY R. G. ARNOLD

The Diversified Farming Program in Coffee County.

The program of farm outlining at the Coffee County Conference at Elba Thursday of last week should be adopted by each community in the entire county, and it is to be supposed that leading farmers in every community will rally around the County Agent when he comes to each neighborhood meeting and assist him in putting into practical application this diversified plan of farm work for the good year 1924. Let's don't quit cotton, but for the love of our homes and those dependent upon us for the very necessities of life, let's plant plenty of other crops, particularly peanuts, corn, velvet beans, potatoes, molasses etc. Attempt to have a garden all the year, and pay more attention to the small flock of poultry. The cow and hen will forever banish the wolf of hunger from your door, and enable one and all to maintain a good credit with those whom you do business.

Co-Operative Cream Station At Enterprise.

Too little attention is being paid to the co-operative cream station at Heath's store at Enterprise. Over thirty farmers are skimming their surplus milk each week and bringing it to this station where it is weighed and tested, and the shipper is paid around 50 cents per lb for the butter fat contained in his cream. An ordinary common good milk cow will yield a cash income from this skimming process of \$5.00 or better per month, if you will get a good cream separator and a few good cows, all of which will not cost as much as a pair of mules, a revenue in-

cash per month of around \$10.00 per cow will result. The dairy business will make any community, county or state a rich and prosperous people, and there is no better foundation laid for this new industry in any county in the United States than here in Coffee County where the people have learned to diversify and grow peanuts, velvet beans and other feed crops so essential in the proper handling of a small dairy herd. How shall we start? First by the organization of more cream stations in the county for the convenience of more people; second, let every farmer who has as many as five or more good cows begin shipping his surplus cream or rather carrying it to the cream station near him; third, begin everybody to get a few better cows, some good bulls, improve pastures, and you will see prosperity manifest itself on each and every farm as did milk and honey in the land of Canaan. My friends, I believe in dairying and if you will listen at me a little while I'll get you to believing in it too. I have seen more pauperized down and out, one horse, two by four farmers, jerked up almost in a twinkling of the eye by Old Bossie and elevated to claims of prosperity, wealth and respectability than by any other one agency, and I believe that it has been foreordained and predestined from all time as Rome was at one time saved by the cackling of geese, so our small farms are to be rescued from the tyrannical rule of economic oppression which does so hideously manifest itself to the weary countryside in Alabama, and saved, saved by the loving herds muffled mus-

in the distant meadow.

A Mark of Distinction

When honest Abe Lincoln did Arithmetic on the cabin wall with a piece of charcoal, writing materials were non-essential to progress. TODAY critical judgment is passed upon the quality of stationery people use.

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BAPTIST CHURCH.

Preaching 11:00, a. m. and 7:00 P. M. by Chas. H. Gernon Pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. J. C. Fleming, Superintendent.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend all services of the Church.

METHODIST CHURCH

Preaching every Sunday, at 11:00 A. M. and 7:00 P. M. F. M. Lowrey, Pastor. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Chas. L. Rowe, Supt. Epworth League, Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock. Prayer Service, Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Our ten points of doctrine. 1—I believe all men are sinners. 2—I believe that God loves all men and blesses all sinners. 3—Jesus Christ died for all men. 4—The Holy Spirit enlightens all men. 5—Justification—All who repent, believe and are forgiven. 6—Regeneration—All who are made new creatures through forgiveness. 7—Adoption—All who are made new creatures are adopted into the family of God. 8—Witness of the Spirit— inward evidence we are accepted as children. 9—Sanctification—All who love God with all their heart and their neighbors as themselves. 10—Final preservation—All who endure to the end.

These points are copied from the Alabama Advocate, and written by Bishop Vincent. We are taking a club for the Advocate, and if you are not a subscriber, or are in arrears, see the pastor and give him a dollar.

"Come with us" is the best way to get your children to church. When a man begins to sin in his religious life he finds the decline well greased. You nor your children cannot inherit character; it must be striven for.

Watch this cold weather—it will burst your pipes—and your religious zeal. The 2nd quarterly Conference will be held Feb. 24th by Dr. C. C. Daniels, pastor of our church at Troy. He will represent Dr. Hurt while he is in the hospital having his eyes treated. The Elba pastor will fill Dr. Daniels' place while he is here. We are publishing this announcement early so that it will give us all ample time, Mrs. Sam Cheadle, Tishomingo, Oklahoma.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible Study, 9:45 A. M. Prayer Meeting Wednesday Nights of each week. Ladies meet every Tuesday Afternoon 3:30 o'clock.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. F. A. Symonds, supt. You are cordially invited to attend all services.

FEED MILL MOVED—

I wish to announce to the farmers of this section that I have moved my Feed Mill down town in the old Baptist Church building next door to The Elba Clipper Office. I am prepared to shell your beans and peas, crush your feed and also am running my grist mill. I will shell your beans or grind your stuff either for toll or cash. Am conveniently located and will appreciate your patronage.

B. S. BRUNSON.

Mrs. Bonneau went to Montgomery Monday to spend a few days with her daughter Mrs. Oats Rowe.

Gilbert's Sale in 100 lb sacks at SMITH BROTHERS.

Colonel John Gamble, of Troy, was at Elba yesterday looking after business interests and greeting his many friends.

Mr. J. F. Brunson, cashier of the F. & M. Bank of Kingston, was a business visitor at Elba yesterday.

TIME TO BUY PLOWS

OWING TO THE FACT THAT ALL PLOW MANUFACTURERS HAVE ADVANCED THEIR PRICES FROM 15 PER CENT TO 20 PER CENT, WE ARE ISSUING YOU A PRICE LIST COVERING PARTS AND REPAIRS CARRIED BY US. IF YOU WILL USE THIS PRICE LIST WITH COMPETITIVE PEOPLE YOU WILL FIND THAT WE ARE 10 TO 15 PER CENT LOWER THAN ANYONE. OUR STOCK IS LIMITED AS WE HAVE NOT BEEN ABLE TO GET SHIPMENT ON GOODS BOUGHT. FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED. PRICES GUARANTEED AGAINST ADVANCE UNTIL MARCH 1ST.

Lynchburg Plows		Vulcan Plows	
LINCHBURG.....	\$7.25	NO. 5 VULCAN.....	\$8.00
TRUCKER LINCHBURG.....	8.25	NO. 6 VULCAN.....	9.00
17 X LINCHBURG.....	13.00	NO. 9 VULCAN.....	15.00

Repairs for All Makes of Plows			
LINCHBURG POINTS.....	30	LINCHBURG SLIDE.....	60
VULCAN POINTS.....	30	VULCAN SLIDE.....	65
OLIVER POINTS.....	30	OLIVER SLIDE.....	55
SYRACUSE POINTS.....	55	SYRACUSE SLIDE.....	65
OLIVER SLIDE.....	55	OLIVER WING.....	1.50
SYRACUSE SLIDE.....	65	SYRACUSE WING.....	1.50
OLIVER WING.....	1.50	OLIVER WING.....	1.50
SYRACUSE WING.....	1.50	SYRACUSE WING.....	1.50

Cole Distributors		Cole Planters	
NO. 15 CORN AND PEANUT.....	\$25.00	NO. 21 KNOCKER.....	\$8.50
NO. 3 COTTON AND GUANO.....	19.50	NO. 22 CHAIN DRIVE.....	12.50
NO. 1 COTTON.....	12.50		

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ASSOCIATED INDUSTRIES OF ALA. BAMA CONDUCTS EFFECTIVE EDUCATIONAL CAMPAIGN.

DEVELOPS INDUSTRIAL RESOURCES

Statewide Association of Business Interests Faces Prosperous New Year Will Continue to Oppose Exodus of Workers From the State.

Effective January 1st, 1924, the Associated Industries of Alabama supplanted the former Alabama Manufacturers' Association as the body which will represent the collective business and manufacturing interests of Alabama. Announcement of the change in name and enlargement of the field of the association's constructive service to the state is made by L. S. Sevier, president.

The Associated Industries of Alabama enters the new year, according to Mr. Sevier, with a membership distributed in 47 counties from Hindsville on the north to Mobile on the south; Tallapoosa on the east and Fayette on the west. The capital investment of member firms is approximately \$500,000,000. It is stated, and the annual pay roll of these institutions is approximately \$140,000. Employees of firms contributing to the support of the association are reported to number 120,000.

These member firms, says Mr. Sevier, "aid in the support of between 500,000 and 600,000 people and furnish the railroads a greater number of tonnage than the membership of any other single agency."

Reviewing the work of the association in its annual report for 1923, and pointing out these possibilities for an enlargement in its sphere of usefulness to Alabama, Mr. Sevier notes that it has cleaved closely to the line of its announced policies which are summed up as follows:

"To promote safety first measures, to conserve life and health; to eliminate illiteracy; to obtain enactment of sound, economic legislation; to oppose laws injurious to the industrial development of the state; to state trade abuses and harmonize business relations; to obtain freight rates and classifications; to extend the market for Alabama products; to disseminate trade information leading towards the location of sound economic views and relations; to promote the best interests of its members and the public."

One of the outstanding accomplishments of the association during the year ended has been its vigorous and well conceived campaign of education in the state of Alabama, which has proved of incalculable benefit to both agricultural and industrial sections. It is pointed out, "Through its accredited representatives in Montgomery, during legislative sessions, the Association has also opposed legislative enactments of distinctly socialistic and paternalistic nature. It is stated, and has worked at all times for sound economic laws which will facilitate Alabama's harmonious commercial and industrial development."

Waive notes in 10 cent books at Elba office.

Dr. Roth

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ALL DAY—S. A. M. TO 6 P. M.—BRICK HOTEL

ENTERPRISE, Thursday, January 31.

Save Your Eyes--

DO NOT NEGLECT SO IMPORTANT A MATTER AS YOUR EYESIGHT. HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE HAVE DEFECTIVE EYES AND DO NOT KNOW IT. DR. ROTH'S SCIENTIFIC EXAMINATION WILL DETECT ANY TROUBLE YOU MAY HAVE, AND HE IS CAPABLE OF GIVING YOU THE PROPER RELIEF. DON'T WAIT LONGER, SEE HIM ON THIS VISIT.

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I WISH TO ANNOUNCE TO MY CUSTOMERS AND FRIENDS THAT I HAVE MOVED FROM MY FORMER LOCATION TO THE WEST SIDE OF COURT SQUARE IN THE BUILDING FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY ELLIS MERC. COMPANY.

IN MY NEW STORE I AM BETTER PREPARED TO TAKE CARE OF YOUR WANTS, AND WILL APPRECIATE A CONTINUANCE OF YOUR PATRONAGE. WHEN YOU NEED ANYTHING IN MY LINE CALL AROUND OR TELEPHONE.

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VOLUME XXVII.

Second And Final Extra Vote Offer In Campaign Closes On February Sixth

30,000 Extra Votes Allowed On Each Ten Dollar Club Up To And Including Next Wednesday Evening. Contestants Should Put Forth Their Best Efforts. Campaign Closes Saturday Night, February 9th.

HERE ARE THE CANDIDATES

Mrs. Frank Blair, Elba, Alabama. Miss Jessie Brunson, Samson, Alabama. Miss Annie Laurie Bullard, Elba, Alabama. Mr. Oscar Clark, Jack, Alabama. Mr. J. E. Jordan, Tennille, Ala., Rt. 3. Mr. J. J. Jones, Elba, Ala., Rt. 4. Miss Arcadia Johnson, Glenwood, Ala., Rt. 2. Mrs. Charlie Pete Lee, Elba, Alabama. Mrs. Sydney Rainer, Elba, Alabama. Mrs. P. B. Walker, Elba, Alabama.

The second and final extra vote offer to be allowed in the Elba campaign will close on Saturday night, February 6th. Up to and including this date an extra club of 30,000 extra votes will be allowed on each and every \$10.00 in subscriptions collected.

Although this period is not nearly so important as the first or bonus offer, still it is much more important than the closing period of the drive when no extra votes at all will be allowed.

As announced in the opening advertisement of the campaign the votes decrease each period and from the very first period of the drive the votes have gradually decreased and this is the last extra vote offer to be allowed and after next Wednesday, nothing but the original schedule will be in effect and the ones who put forth their best efforts up to the close of this offer will stand a mighty good opportunity to drive away in a Studebaker on the 9th of February.

Candidates Running Close. The close of the bonus offer on last Saturday, found all of the candidates fighting hard for the lead, but as no one was able to poll any large amount of votes the list is still closely bunched.

Of course, one of two subscriptions would not make every one in the campaign even, but no one has any great lead over the rest of the field and the issue lacks a lot of being settled.

Most all reports Saturday were great improvements over those of the preceding week, but it seems as though none of the workers were able to outdistance the other candidates. This means that the finish will be hard fought as its anybody's race so far and one would have to be endowed with prophetic visions to try and pick the winner now.

From all appearances no one is going to be able to poll any large number of votes as the weather has been such that it is certainly a hard matter for the workers to get out on the rural routes, and just as hard for the farmers to come to town to meet the candidates. However, the one beauty of this drive is that it requires no certain number of votes to win as the ones who have the largest number of votes will be the winners, regardless of how few this may be.

Considering the handicap of bad weather all candidates have performed excellently and already a thousand new readers have been added to the list of The Clipper, but it is certain that many more would

have subscribed had the candidates been enabled to visit them.

Campaign Closes Feb. 9th. Regardless of the many rumors to the contrary, the campaign will under no circumstances be postponed or prolonged and even though it rained and stormed every day from now to the close and not a single additional subscription be brought in, still on the 9th of February the campaign will close and all prizes will be awarded the winners.

Each and every promise made at the beginning of the campaign has been faithfully kept and will be adhered to in every respect to the very end of the drive. Those who look for some loophole or change in the rules are going to get a great disappointment as everything will proceed just as outlined in the initial announcement of the campaign.

The different prizes purchased from the local merchants to be awarded the winners are as follows: The beautiful Studebaker is on display at the Ellis-Johnson Motor Co. The diamond ring, the second prize is on display at Mays-Whitman Drug Co., as is the third prize. The fourth, fifth and sixth prizes, the 15 jewel Elgin Watches are in the window of The Elba Dry Goods Co., and Mr. Brooks will be glad to exhibit these to any one of the candidates and their friends.

Judges Of The Campaign. The judges appointed to count the votes and award the prizes in the campaign are Mr. J. L. Mixson, cashier of the Elba Bank and Trust Co., Mr. H. C. Johnson, Vice President of the First National Bank and Mr. J. E. Faulk of the Samson National Bank.

On the closing night these gentlemen will take complete charge of the drive and after carefully counting all the votes of the different candidates will proceed to award the prizes.

These gentlemen are so well known through this section that they require no introduction and each candidate may rest assured that they will receive an accurate count of all votes polled. Of course, the best information obtainable it seems that Cates and Cornelius' son got into a fight at some kind of a party and the fighting became a free-for-all affair. Cornelius shot Cates and a man said to be Elmer Lightfoot shot D. Cornelius.

Fates is wounded in the face and stomach and cannot live, physicians state. Lightfoot escaped.

Mr. W. H. Hair, of Troy, was a business visitor at Elba yesterday.

The club offer which is in effect now is positively the last extra vote offer to be made

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MR. A. C. VAUGHN DIES AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS AT MALONE, FLORIDA

Elba people were shocked on last Thursday, when received a message bearing the sad news of the sudden death of Mr. A. C. Vaughn at his home in Malone, Fla.

Mr. Vaughn was one of the best known men in this section of the county, having lived here the major portion of his life. A few years ago he moved to Malone, Fla., but was a constant visitor here and Elba people still looked on him as a Coffee Countyman.

He was one of the County's leading citizens and a very successful farmer, and had scores of friends throughout this section who were grieved to learn of his death. He had been in bad health for several months, but he was suddenly stricken on Thursday and died within a few minutes.

The body was brought to Elba, Vaughn, reaching here just before noon, and was carried to the residence of Mr. D. M. Vaughn on Smith Avenue. The funeral services were held Friday afternoon at the Methodist Church, Rev. F. M. Lowrey conducting the services. The remains were laid to rest in Evergreen Cemetery.

Mr. Vaughn is survived by his wife and several sons and daughters, besides a number of brothers, sisters and other relatives. The sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved ones.

DEVOTIONAL MEETING OF WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Elba Auxiliary of W. M. S. held the regular devotional meeting at the Church Monday afternoon with twenty present. One new member, Mrs. Beasley was added to the roll.

"A New Day for Brazil" was the subject with Mrs. J. M. Campbell, leader. Collections from workers at Colleges, the publishing house, and other centers were read by Mrs. R. L. Cooper.

Mrs. M. A. Owen brought a message from the Home Base Secretary, Mrs. H. C. Johnson made a plea for the Superannuate Fund.

The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. L. C. Marsh.

NEW COTTON MILL AT OPP SOON BE RUNNING

Opp, Ala., Jan. 28.—With the arrival of H. M. Deason and J. L. Beaver, both inside foremen, erection of machinery and other equipment at the Mill Creek Cotton Mill, at Opp, has been going forward at a rapid pace for the past week or more, and the manager, C. H. Cole, states that the first cloth will be made within five weeks time now.

Thirty-two well built, and well lighted cottages have been erected and large number of them occupied by families who will be employed in the new mill. Many of the employees are now being trained at the Opp Cotton Mills a short distance away preparatory to being able to take up the work with a readiness when the big engine puffs the first time.

With artesian water, sanitary out-houses and all other modern conveniences prescribed by the federal government, living conditions at the mill are now what is desirable, according to officers of the mill. The cottages are patterned after those at the Opp Cotton Mills large mill, and sometimes ago Dr. W. G. Smilie, county health officer, stated that the health conditions were excellent around the premises of these houses.

You can get Gilbert's Salt at SMITH BROTHERS.

COURT HOUSE FIRE OF INCENDIARY ORIGIN IS GENERAL BELIEF; WILL BE REBUILT SOON

Large Storage House Being Built by Boyd & Murphree.

The fire which destroyed the Court House at Enterprise on Wednesday morning of last week was of incendiary origin, is the general belief of the people of Enterprise and others who have made investigation into the matter. The "Clipper" last week the records of all county officers who maintain offices in the building were completely destroyed except those of the Probate office. As is known this office was provided with a vault and all records, filing cabinets, etc., were in the books were damaged by heat or water, the records are being used.

According to a statement by Judge J. A. Carnley the work of this office will go on as temporary quarters have already been secured at the Newton & Merchants National Bank and his clerk is there at work. As the records of other officers were destroyed, they will be taken to carry on their work. A non-jury term of the Circuit Court was scheduled for this week and Judge Carnley was there and an effort was made to carry on the business of the court with whatever records were had by attorneys in several matters before the court.

Judge Carnley stated in his conversation with The Clipper editor that the Court House would be rebuilt as soon as all details incident could be arranged. It was also learned that the county carried \$25,000 insurance on the building and \$5,000 on the furniture.

Of course, this amount only partially covers the loss sustained by the county in the destruction of the building.

The building could not be replaced for anything like the amount of insurance, as records were destroyed which will never perhaps be replaced as possible, it is the intention of the Commissioners Court to erect another building, and to erect as good one as the money in hand will afford. In the meantime business of the Courts will suffer a great handicap and it is not known just what steps will be taken to transact this business.

We have heard several rumors about the fire and its causes, but as these are only rumors, we do not care to state any of them. It is the general opinion, freely expressed, that the building was set on fire. It is understood that all these accusations will be run down and if possible the guilty parties will be brought to justice.

MR. MARSH LOSES LARGE BARN BY FIRE.

Mr. J. M. Marsh, well known planter of Elba, had the misfortune of losing a large barn and storage house on his plantation East of town on Monday night by fire of unknown origin.

The barn, a very large one contained a large quantity of cotton seed and several bales of cotton and several tons of fertilizer, besides other stuff. The loss will amount to several thousand dollars with only a small amount of insurance, according to reports. The fire was late at night and it is not known how it started.

MR. ARMOUR HOSTESS TO BRIDGE CLUB.

A lovely party was given at the home of Mrs. John Armour Tuesday afternoon. Bridge and five hundred were played. At the conclusion of the games a delicious plate lunch was served.

Mrs. Armour's guests included members of the Bridge Club and Mesdames Dan Brooks, J. D. Clark and Miss Mollie Blue Walker. Misses Mary Francis Armour, Marion Pierson and Lillian Rowe assisted Mrs. Armour in entertaining.

WORK PROGRESSING ON L. F. PRICE HOME.

Work is progressing rapidly on the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Price, which is being erected just across the road from the home of Mr. W. J. Fullard in the Northern part of town.

Already practically all the outside work has been finished and the house will soon be completed. This will be one of the most attractive homes in that part of town when completed.

FOR SALE—One 5 room bungalow house and lot for sale in Elba, for further information call at The Clipper office.

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Entered as second class matter July 18, 1905, at the Postoffice at Elba, Alabama, under Act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

The fair weather of the past few days is a reminder to the farmers that it is about time to begin farming operations. Coffee farmers should look well into the matter of plenty of food and feed crops when planning their years work.

The first bill to be passed at the present session of congress gives a pension of \$50,000 a year for life, to Mrs. Florence Kling Harding, wife of the late president.

In some adjoining counties the political pot has already begun boiling. Some candidates have already announced for office. In Coffee County, things seem to be pretty quiet so far, however it will not be long before things warm up a little.

With the help of an efficient farm demonstration agent, Coffee county farmers should make the dirt pay during the coming year. It is always best to plant plenty of the necessities for feeding the home and livestock, and then look to the remainder of the farm for something for a money crop. All money crops and no feed crops will send the farmer to the "poor house."

Although the law calling the presidential preferential primary in Alabama has been declared unconstitutional, the State Democratic Executive committee will see that the election is held during the month of March. Alabama voters will have the choice of these Alabama's for president. Senator Oscar W. Underwood, M. A. Dismore and L. B. Musgrove.

Coffee farmers have long realized the importance of a live demonstration agent, and now that they have one many are grasping the opportunity of co-operating with him in an effort to make the present year one of the best farm years in the history of the county. We have as good dirt as any county. Just need to go about the matter in a business like manner to make the work count for something.

Every presidential election year on trains and around other places where groups of men are thrown together, one may hear all sorts of discussions. You'll hear some recent head of fallow in the crowd say "Well, the Democrats are the best, but I'm coming to vote the Republicans ticket this year."

Shades of Thomas Jefferson. He knows he's a liar when he says he's a democrat, and he wouldn't know a Democratic newspaper from a noise-colored milk—Lafayette Sun.

BOY TO BE TRIED

Gadsden, Ala., Jan. 27.—Theron Nelson, 14-year old white boy, is scheduled to go to trial at Centre Tuesday, Feb. 5 for the alleged murder of his father, Tom Nelson, last fall. He was indicted for second degree murder. At the time of the killing it was stated that the boy claimed to have shot and killed his father to save the life of his mother, who was being pursued by Nelson, with an axe in his hand. The venue for Spring term of the Cherokee County court convenes next Monday.

That's Just The Trouble

Don't get mad at the telegraph. It's just the trouble.

More than right ones.—Dorian Eagle.

THE COUNTY AGENT AND FARM BUREAU

BY R. G. ARNOLD

ENTERPRISE FARM MEET

GREAT SUCCESS; ELBA RAINED OUT

The meeting of farmers at Elba scheduled for Thursday of last week was rained out, the Auburn men being on hand but owing to the continual rain during the morning, the meeting was called off till a later date. At Enterprise on Friday morning the Woodmen hall was crowded to overflowing by farmers who listened to Mr. Pearson State Market and Fertilizer Specialist from Auburn. Most of the time was taken up in discussion of best fertilizers to use for profit and for cotton, peanuts and corn, in which discussion the farmers present manifested a great interest, and after the meeting gave the county agent numbers of orders for fertilizing materials to be shipped co-operatively through the Farm Bureau. Home raising was strongly urged as the means of effecting a saving and at the same time give each a better crop just the right dose of the right fertilizer needed in each case. A rising vote of thanks was unanimously tendered Mr. Pearson by the farmers present and a strong invitation given to Specialists of the Alabama Extension Service at Auburn to return again to Coffee County. The County Agent was promised Mr. Pearson's services for the whole week in Coffee County, holding community meetings during the second week in February, and Mr. LeBro, Terracing Specialist from Auburn, will also be with us at an early date to assist in putting on several terracing demonstrations scattered over the county. We are going to use these State men in Coffee and we are glad that the farmers duly appreciate their splendid services. There is lots of farm improvement work to be done in Coffee County, and as County Agent it is not my duty to tell you how to do it, but to organize each community and actually do the job. We thank you for the splendid co-operation shown us so far in our work in Coffee County.

Mr. Obie Harris and Mr. Pearson of New Brackton Co-op-erated with us in a good community meeting at that place on Saturday afternoon. The farmers here were found also to be much interested in fertilizers, marketing, terracing, dairying etc. Other community meetings for next week are scheduled as follows: Tuesday afternoon Pleasant Ridge; Wednesday afternoon Rhodes School community; Thursday afternoon New Hope; and Friday afternoon Zion Chapel church Feb. 1. At these and other community meetings we will take up the important subjects of fertilizers, seeds etc., of most interest to the people living in these immediate communities.

A safe farming committee was appointed at the Enterprise meeting to work out recommendations for a program of farm work this coming year. This committee consisted of Jim Martin, A. L. Moats, Chas. Harrell, W. J. Harbuck, Jeff Donaldson and J. E. Pittman who will work in conjunction with a similar committee to be appointed from the Elba territory, all together to plan a system of safe farming that shall apply to Coffee County.

Miss Clyde Walden spent a while with Miss Kittie Moore Sunday afternoon.

We are having much success with our School work at Lee School, which is being taught by Misses Mary Griffin Watson and Mary Martha Robinson.

The number enrolled at Sunday School for the past few Sundays has been small on account of cold and rainy weather but we hope for the number to be increased next Sunday.

Much success to the Clipper and its many readers.

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Andalusia, Ala.

One Who Attended.

One day last week Mr. Napoleon Willis, of Providence, went to one of his traps on the Coosa River and found that he had caught a big, full-grown wild catamount. The trap had the animal by one of its feet and was not injured in any way. Napoleon managed some way to get the cat in a cage and brought him home alive and in fine shape. The animal is still alive and Mr. Willis says he will bring him to Clanton one day soon so that everybody may see him. Clanton Union-Banner.

Caught A Wildcat

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FOREMAN AT MILL IS

CRUSHED TO DEATH

BY FALLING BOILER

Georgina News says:

Mr. J. W. Powell, employed as skidder foreman for the W. T. Smith Lumber Co., was accidentally killed Friday evening when a boiler that was being loaded on a flat car rolled off and crushed his body so severely that he died within an hour.

The accident occurred at the company's camp east of Georgiana and he was brought to the Watson Infirmary, dying a few minutes after arriving there.

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LANCASTER IS GIVEN EIGHTEEN YEAR SENTENCE AT HAMILTON

Hamilton, Ala., Jan. 25.—After two former mistrials, Robert J. Lancaster was today found guilty of second degree murder and sentenced to serve eighteen years in the state penitentiary. With several other members of Company M, Alabama National Guard, he was charged with lynching William Baird, a miner during the Alabama coal strike in 1921, while the company was on duty at Townley, Walker county.

The defendant showed no emotion when the verdict of the jury was read. The punishment was fixed by the jury which had deliberated since 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Lancaster was a sergeant of his company and was alleged by the state to have been the leader of a mob of soldiers which took Baird from jail on January 13, 1921, and shot him to death a short distance from Jasper. Baird was in prison on a charge of slaying Private Morris, a member of Company M, who previously had shot and killed J. C. Northcutt, Baird's father-in-law while the guardsmen were on patrol duty in the neighborhood of the Northwest home.

The youthful wife of Lancaster and their three-year-old daughter were figures during the proceedings, being constantly by the side of the defendant.

A trial marked by numerous startling situations, the reading of the verdict constituted the finale to a series of climaxes. A great crowd packed the court room to the doors when the jury returned the verdict.

"SAFE FARMING" BULLETIN READY

"Safe Farming in Alabama" is the title of a bulletin which has just been published by the Alabama Extension Service. Copies are now being distributed throughout the State. This bulletin contains the proceedings of the safe farming conference which was held in Auburn, December 20-21. It is the first in a series of bulletins to be issued by the Extension Service, the Experiment Station and the Agricultural College at Auburn.

Field crops, fertilizers, farm machinery, farm buildings, livestock, boys and girls' club work, marketing, fruits, vegetables, insects and plant diseases are all treated in the bulletin. Special attention is given to soil fertility, to livestock and to co-operative marketing which is recognized as the "best known method for selling farm products."

Soil fertility was regarded as the "most important problem confronting farmers of Alabama," following which definite directions are given for increasing soil fertility.

The county agents have been supplied with these bulletins for distribution in their respective counties, but where there is no county agent a copy may be had by writing directly to Auburn.

Four steers, each weighing about one ton, were executed electrically at the recent round-up and celebration at Ephrata, Wash. The event built for this event was 22 feet long, four feet wide and six feet deep. Five thousand persons enjoyed the electrically executed steers.

Be rich by keeping on good terms with one's conscience.

BURNING OF SCHOOL BUILDING AT ARITON LAID TO SMALL BOYS

Mack and Jarius Norton, 13 and 11 years of age respectively, are believed by officials at Arifton and Ozark to be guilty of applying the torch which resulted in the destruction of the town school building at Arifton, Ala., during Tuesday night according to information received by Chester E. Johnson, state fire marshal, Thursday afternoon from his deputies, G. R. Shaffer and G. W. Simms, who had made an investigation of the fire upon request of Mayor A. N. Fain, of Arifton.

According to report made to the fire marshal, the boys admitted their part in the destruction. It is said that the boys had been out of school for several days and that the compulsory attendance officer apprehended them and demanded that they return to school.

It was further said that the principal of the school was contemplating expelling the youngsters unless they submitted to corporal punishment. They were accordingly "whipped" by the teacher and this is said to have resulted in the determination to destroy the school.

Solicitor Acker asked that the youths be involved in custody of their father at Arifton which was done.

Five Marshal Johnson said Thursday night that he would ask that the boys be committed through the juvenile court of Dale county to the Boys Industrial School at Birmingham. The school building, according to detailed report sent in on it, was worth \$4,500 and the furnishings and fixtures \$3,000.—Montgomery Advertiser.

THREE MEMBERS OF POSSEE ARE SHOT BY NEGRO IN GEORGIA

Cordele, Ga., Jan. 23.—One man was shot and instantly killed, another seriously wounded and a third slightly wounded when a negro for whom a posse was searching opened fire as the trio surrounded him at a swamp on Flint River, near Hucouen Ferry.

The men had gone to arrest the negro, who it is alleged, had made threats against the life of a white man who is said to have whipped the negroes son.

Barber, farmer, was the first victim of the negro's fire, dying instantly. Carl Williams, local dentist, received a bullet in his right lung and is said to be in a serious condition. James Russell was slightly wounded. Paul Wood had bullet holes through parts of his clothing.

The negro escaped.

MORTGAGE FIDELITY SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage, executed by J. P. Brooks and wife, on May 28, 1908, and in a mortgage executed by said J. P. Brooks to John H. Wilkerson on February 21st, 1921, both of which mortgages have been properly transferred to, and are now owned by, the undersigned, conveying the following described land, to-wit:

The W 1/2 of NE 1/4 of SE 1/4, and SE 1/4 of NE 1/4, less two acres in the Southwest corner, of Section 15, Township 7, Range 21, containing 88 acres more or less, and situated in Coffee County, Alabama, and where the debts secured by said mortgages have not been paid at maturity, the said transferee, in foreclosure of said mortgages will, on Monday, the 3rd day of March, 1924, sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, the above described land, at public auction before the Court House door of Coffee County, in Elba, Alabama, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 1 p. m.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership between W. A. Gatlin and O. S. Gatlin, operating as Gatlin Brothers at Kingston, Coffee County, Alabama, has been dissolved, by mutual consent. W. A. Gatlin releases from the firm and O. S. Gatlin will continue the business and becomes responsible for all liabilities of the partnership, and all accounts are payable to him.

January 8, 1924.

W. A. GATLIN.

Foreigner Indigestion

Shut the gates and give the "mollifying pot" a chance to do nothing upon the bodies and all the hair burned from the head, but excepting for their

How We Spend Your Money

in building Studebaker cars

Why people buy 150,000 yearly

It is true that we spend lavishly on Studebaker cars. But it's all to your advantage.

It is by that spending that we give you the greatest value in the fine-car field. We offer prices no one matches on any comparable cars.

That lavish spending led people last year to pay \$200,000,000 for Studebaker cars. And that volume brings our prices down to where they are.

\$50,000,000 in plants

Studebaker assets are \$90,000,000. In modern plants and equipment we have \$50,000,000. Seventy per cent of that amount was spent in the past seven years. So it represents the latest word in equipment.

\$20,000,000 in drop-forged plants, so every vital part is made to Studebaker standards.

\$10,000,000 in body plants, so Studebaker ideals may be shown in every body.

All that is staked in a permanent way on satisfying fine-car buyers better than our rivals.

What extras cost

Lack of vibration is a famous Studebaker feature. We get that by machine-crank shafts sent in on it, was worth \$4,500 and the furnishings and fixtures \$3,000.—Montgomery Advertiser.

Matchless endurance is another famous feature. One Studebaker Six, still in active use, has run 475,000 miles since 1918. We get that through costly steels. On some we pay 15% bonus-maker-to-formula exact.

Beauty of finish is another supremacy. But that finish requires many operations, including 15 coats of paint and varnish.

Our real leather cushions cost \$25 per car over imitation leather.

Every Studebaker car is tank-equipped. The Special-Six and the Big-Six have more Tankin bearings than any car selling under \$5,600 in this country.

Being generous with men

We pay maximum wages—at least as much as anyone else will pay.

Light-Six

5-Pass. 112" W.B. 40 H.P. Touring - \$995.00

Reader (2-Pass.) - \$1,195.00

Coupe-Reader (2-Pass.) - \$1,295.00

Coupe (2-Pass.) - \$1,395.00

Sedan - \$1,495.00

Special-Six

5-Pass. 110" W.B. 50 H.P. Touring - \$1,350.00

Reader (2-Pass.) - \$1,550.00

Coupe (2-Pass.) - \$1,650.00

Sedan - \$1,750.00

Big-Six

7-Pass. 120" W.B. 60 H.P. Touring - \$1,750.00

Reader (2-Pass.) - \$1,950.00

Coupe (2-Pass.) - \$2,050.00

Sedan - \$2,150.00

Union Springs LAD

KILLED BY SHOTGUN

Union Springs, Ala., Jan. 26.—Dorwan Carmichael, 15-year-old son of B. D. Carmichael, accidentally shot himself with a shotgun yesterday and died today.

The boy had been hunting. When he returned nobody was at home and the front door being fastened he laid his gun down on the steps and entered through a window at the rear. Then coming through the house and opening the front door he picked up the gun to pull it in and the hammer hit the door and fired the lead into his chest.

He crawled to a bed and his father, who was working in a field nearby, hearing the shot, came on to the house and had medical attention given at once.

The boy's wound was so severe, however, that surgical skill was unable to save his life.

The twenty-six story Wrigley building in Chicago is visible at night from a distance of 15 miles. One hundred and twenty-five floors.

America. The Light-Six more than any competitive car within \$1,000 of its price.

In closed cars we offer wondrous luxury. The lining is Chase Mohair, made from the fine fleeces of Angora goats. Velour would cost about one-third that, saving \$1,000 a car.

Note those bumpers, that steel trunk, those extra disc wheels with cord tires on some models. Note that extra courtesy light. Think what they would cost if you bought them.

The cost of care

The unvarying standards in Studebaker cars are fixed by a department

Then we pay extra for continuous service. Last year, 13,000 men in our factories got anniversary checks—total \$1,300,000. After five years of service those checks amount to 10% of their wages.

We spend \$2,000,000 yearly on our co-operative work for men.

Every year we give factory employees one week's vacation with pay. That cost us \$235,000 last year.

We sell them stock on attractive terms. We retire old employees on pensions.

All this to keep men happy, to foster morale, and to keep men with us when they develop efficiency.

Don't Buy Blindly

Studebaker is today the leader in the fine-car field.

It has made this concern the largest builder of quality cars in the world.

You can find nothing in cars at \$1,000 or over to compare with Studebaker values.

Studebaker sales have almost trebled in the past three years. The growing demand is the sensation of Motorodom.

For 72 years the name Studebaker has stood for quality and class. But never so much as today.

Then don't buy a car at \$1,000 or over without learning what we offer.

Not extravagance

Do such things seem extravagant? They are not. All those extra dollars save more dollars for our buyers.

They result in the cars you see, in the prices and values we offer. Nothing else in the field can compare.

Those values have resulted in a demand for 150,000 cars per year. That volume cuts our costs to two, as compared with limited production.

The cause of over-prices—under-values—is not lavish expenditure.

It is

Limited production, Heavy overhead, Out-of-date machinery, Antiquated methods, Non-economy plants, Transient labor, Discontented workers.

We've eliminated those things. We've done it at what seems to you a heavy cost per car. But each of those extra dollars saves \$5, we believe. Note what values and what prices have resulted. Note the amazing demand—the overwhelming demand—it has brought for Studebaker cars.

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5-Pass. 110" W.B. 50 H.P. Touring - \$1,350.00

Reader (2-Pass.) - \$1,550.00

Coupe (2-Pass.) - \$1,650.00

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Coupe (2-Pass.) - \$2,050.00

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Union Springs LAD

KILLED BY SHOTGUN

Union Springs, Ala., Jan. 26.—Dorwan Carmichael, 15-year-old son of B. D. Carmichael, accidentally shot himself with a shotgun yesterday and died today.

America. The Light-Six more than any competitive car within \$1,000 of its price.

In closed cars we offer wondrous luxury. The lining is Chase Mohair, made from the fine fleeces of Angora goats. Velour would cost about one-third that, saving \$1,000 a car.

Note those bumpers, that steel trunk, those extra disc wheels with cord tires on some models. Note that extra courtesy light. Think what they would cost if you bought them.

The cost of care

The unvarying standards in Studebaker cars are fixed by a department

Then we pay extra for continuous service. Last year, 13,000 men in our factories got anniversary checks—total \$1,300,000. After five years of service those checks amount to 10% of their wages.

We spend \$2,000,000 yearly on our co-operative work for men.

Every year we give factory employees one week's vacation with pay. That cost us \$235,000 last year.

We sell them stock on attractive terms. We retire old employees on pensions.

All this to keep men happy, to foster morale, and to keep men with us when they develop efficiency.

Don't Buy Blindly

Studebaker is today the leader in the fine-car field.

It has made this concern the largest builder of quality cars in the world.

You can find nothing in cars at \$1,000 or over to compare with Studebaker values.

Studebaker sales have almost trebled in the past three years. The growing demand is the sensation of Motorodom.

For 72 years the name Studebaker has stood for quality and class. But never so much as today.

Then don't buy a car at \$1,000 or over without learning what we offer.

Not extravagance

Do such things seem extravagant? They are not. All those extra dollars save more dollars for our buyers.

They result in the cars you see, in the prices and values we offer. Nothing else in the field can compare.

Those values have resulted in a demand for 150,000 cars per year. That volume cuts our costs to two, as compared with limited production.

The cause of over-prices—under-values—is not lavish expenditure.

It is

Limited production, Heavy overhead, Out-of-date machinery, Antiquated methods, Non-economy plants, Transient labor, Discontented workers.

We've eliminated those things. We've done it at what seems to you a heavy cost per car. But each of those extra dollars saves \$5, we believe. Note what values and what prices have resulted. Note the amazing demand—the overwhelming demand—it has brought for Studebaker cars.

Being generous with men

We pay maximum wages—at least as much as anyone else will pay.

Light-Six

5-Pass. 112" W.B. 40 H.P. Touring - \$995.00

Reader (2-Pass.) - \$1,195.00

Coupe-Reader (2-Pass.) - \$1,295.00

Coupe (2-Pass.) - \$1,395.00

Sedan - \$1,495.00

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WHEN YOU WATCH A GREAT WATERFALL YOU ARE IMPRESSED BY ITS BEAUTY, BUT THE WATER WASTES ITS ENERGY BY DASHING ON THE UNYIELDING ROCKS BELOW.

THEN YOU STEP INTO A POWERHOUSE AND SEE ANOTHER STREAM OF WATER DIRECTED IN SUCH A WAY THAT IT CREATES ELECTRIC POWER.

AND DO NOT FORGET THAT THE DOLLARS YOU PUT IN A SAVINGS ACCOUNT ARE THE ONES WHICH CREATE FINANCIAL POWER FOR YOU.

ELBA BANK & TRUST COMPANY

Y. W. RAINIER, President. S. N. ROWE, Vice-President. S. H. BROCK, Active V-Pres. J. L. MIXSON, Cashier.

ELBA, ALABAMA.

Make Your Money Earn 7.14%

INVEST IT SAFELY AND PROFITABLY IN CUMULATIVE PREFERRED STOCK OF Alabama Power Company

There is a wide difference in "investing" and "speculating." SPECULATING means taking chances, running risks, with the idea of quick returns in large profits—it is rightfully termed "stock gambling."

INVESTING does not involve the taking of blind chance. It means putting your money to work in some firmly established, earning business, that will insure a reasonable return, with the element of chance eliminated. And that is just what you do when you buy stock in the Alabama Power Company.

The Cumulative Preferred Stock of Alabama Power Company has never failed to pay a dividend every three months, at a yield of more than 7 percent annually.

THINK THIS OVER. Could we afford to sell, to the very people upon whose good will and patronage our business depends, shares of stock in which we did not have the utmost confidence?

This stock has distinct advantages that merit your investigation. Ask any employee, or communicate with Investment Department, Alabama Power Company, Brown-Marx Bldg., Birmingham, Ala.

Price: \$98.00 and Accrued Dividend Per Share—to net 7.14 percent on amount invested.

ALABAMA POWER COMPANY

Brown-Marx Building Birmingham, Alabama

And mail to INVESTMENT DEPARTMENT, Alabama Power Co., Birmingham, Ala., and full details of our stock and selling plans will be sent to you. Also a free booklet on "How to Put Money to Work."

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THE MAIN TROUBLE

If there was only one big devil we'd most of us be safe enough. It's the doggone riff-riff of little ones that makes it hard for us.—Troy Herald.

REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Coffee County In Circuit Court in Equity at Elba, Alabama.

Bessie Noel Callier Complainant vs. R. M. Cochran, et al.,

By virtue of a decree rendered on January 16th, 1922, by the Circuit Court in Equity at Elba, Alabama, Coffee County, in said cause, I shall proceed to sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public auction, at the Court House door in Elba, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale, on Friday the 15th day of February, 1924, the following described property, to-wit:

SE 1/4 of SE 1/4, of Section 18, NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 19, W 1/2 of NW 1/4 of Section 20, all in Township 4, Range 19, in Coffee County, Alabama.

The 26th day of January, 1924.

S. H. BROCK, Registrar.

And Worlds Of Disinfection More quick in the movies. Will Hays needs the service of a good drainage engineer.—Southern Star, Ozark.

Yes, Indeed! The man who married a girl named Baker was a Southern Star.

Be opened minded and close mouthed.—BX.

When You Need

Note Heads, Statements, Cards or Tags, Carbon Paper, Ruled Letter Heads, Bill Heads, any size, Circulars or Posters, Envelopes, large or small, Typewriter Letter

Phone 197 For Groceries

OUR BUSINESS IS GROCERIES—WE SPECIALIZE IN THIS LINE AND CARRY A STOCK OF FANCY AND STAPLE GROCERIES THAT WILL MEET YOUR ENTIRE SATISFACTION.

WE HAVE ALWAYS TAKEN SPECIAL INTEREST IN OUR GROCERY DEPARTMENT AND CARRY ONLY THOSE LINES THAT WE CAN ABSOLUTELY GUARANTEE. WE WOULD NOT SELL ANYTHING THAT IS NOT FIRST CLASS.

OUR DELIVERY SYSTEM IS THE BEST THAT WE CAN MAKE IT. "QUICK DELIVERY" HAS ALWAYS BEEN OUR HOBBY. IF YOU WANT SOMETHING AND WANT IT RIGHT NOW, JUST CALL FOR BLOCKER'S—PHONE 197.

E. F. BLOCKER

West Side Square — Elba, Ala.

Complete Battery Service

WE OPERATE A COMPLETE BATTERY SERVICE STATION, REPAIRING AND CHARGING ANY MAKE OR TYPE OF BATTERY.

HAVE PLENTY OF PURE BATTERY WATER FOR OUR CUSTOMERS AT ALL TIMES. ALSO A SERVICE BATTERY TO FIT YOUR CAR WHILE CHARGING YOURS. OUR PRICES ON FORD BATTERY REPAIRS ARE:

FULL CHARGE	\$1.50
SERVICE BATTERY, Per Day	.25
REBUILD 1 CELL	3.00
REBUILD 2 CELLS	5.00
REBUILD 3 CELLS	6.00
BURN ON POST, Each	.50

WE ALSO SELL NEW AND USED BATTERIES. INVITE US TO YOUR BATTERY TROUBLES.

Conner Brothers Motor Co.

NEXT TO MAY BLDG. PHONE 169

Electricity On The Farm

HOMELITE PORTABLE ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANTS

AN ALL PURPOSE ELECTRIC PLANT
DEPENDABLE, ECONOMICAL, RELIABLE

CAPACITY UP TO A HUNDRED LIGHTS. WILL LIGHT THE HOME, PUMP WATER, RUN ELECTRIC FANS AND IRONS, AND DO THE MANY OTHER USES OF ELECTRICITY. OPERATES AT AN AVERAGE COST OF \$1.00 PER MONTH.

—PRICED FROM \$198.00 UP—

IF INTERESTED A POSTAL WILL BEING A THOROUGH DEMONSTRATION TO YOUR HOME WITHOUT OBLIGATION TO BUY.

L. M. HAM, ELBA, ALA.

REPRESENTATIVE
COFFEE COUNTY GENEVA COUNTY

PRESTON MOTOR OFFICERS GO TO TRIAL IN BIRMINGHAM.

Birmingham, Ala., Jan. 28.—Three former officials of the bankrupt Preston Motors Corporation, of Birmingham, were placed on trial Monday afternoon in the criminal division of circuit court on charges of violating the "blue sky" law. The men are Preston Orr, James T. Driver and Ross A. Skinner, who are alleged to have made false statements to the state securities commission in an effort to camouflage losses incurred in 1922.

The men are also charged in the indictments with offering stock for sale in the corporation without filing a copy of such stock with the proper state officials as required by law. Federal action is expected after the state has finished its trial in this case.

A man is willing to be pushed to the front, but he doesn't want to be shoved.

Jack—I say! How long did it take you to learn to drive?
Betty—Only four cars.

HUSBAND ATTACKED BY DEMENTED WIFE

Quitman, Ga., Jan. 28.—Wounded unable to move from his bed and using a heavy club to fight off his demented wife who was attempting to kill him while the children of the couple huddled, frightened, in corners of the room. Will Boyd, a farmer, living near here was rescued by Sheriff Clanton, according to a story told by the officer on his return here bringing the wife for safekeeping.

Boyd accidentally shot himself while hunting, the muscles of his leg being torn away. He dragged himself to his home and while awaiting medical treatment his wife set upon him with maniacal fury, according to the officer's story.

"I can manage her when I'm all right but if my little girl hadn't brought me the club to defend myself with she probably would have killed me," Boyd was quoted as saying. Mrs. Boyd was formerly a patient at the state insane asylum but was returned home some time ago. The sheriff has arranged to have her returned to the institution.

Will Brunson, at Elba, is the loan man. If you want to borrow money on your lands see him. He specializes in the loan business and has an abstract plant which enables him to give prompt service.—adv.

LOST—Wednesday morning—Gold Fountain Pen with my name engraved on it. Liberal reward if returned to Miss Gladys Allred.

An abridged edition of the Bible is being prepared by Cambridge University, England, for the use of schools.

FOR SALE—One house and lot in Elba—Desirably located; all modern conveniences. If interested write Box 113, Troy, Alabama.

FOUND—bunch of keys on Opp-Elba road Friday morning. Owner can get them by calling at Clipper office and paying for this ad.

A terra cotta organ with pipes and pedals more than 2,000 years old has been discovered in the ruins of Carthage.

It is believed that the use of iron has been known to man since 4000 B. C.

ATTENTION—When in Elba visit the Elba Barber Shop "on the corner," for all your barber needs. Service our motto! W. L. Moody, Owner.

FOR TAXI SERVICE

CALL H. J. SPURLIN

—PHONE 181—

GOOD CARS AND GOOD DRIVERS

Headquarters

YOUNG'S BARBERSHOP

Hastings' Seeds Catalog Free!

This is the greatest and most accurate Seed Book ever published for the South. 100 pages, full of actual photographs, pictures, handsome cover, pages in full colors, accurate descriptions, valuable culture directions and the most useful Seed Book there is. It is absolutely free, and we want you to have it in your home. Hastings' Seeds, "The Standard of the South," are as always, the best seeds green, garden, field and flower seeds, plants and bulbs that do well in South are all fully described with 1024 attractive pictures, the lowest cost, possibly sell good seeds, plants and bulbs. All our 1924 customers will get 5 seed packets of beautiful flowers absolutely free. The big new 1924 Seed Book tells you about it. Write for it today.

H. G. HASTINGS CO., SEEDSMEN
ATLANTA, GA.

A new wig for women is made of spun glass.

TIME TO BUY PLOWS----

OWING TO THE FACT THAT ALL PLOW MANUFACTURERS HAVE ADVANCED THEIR PRICES FROM 15 PER CENT TO 30 PER CENT, WE ARE ISSUING YOU A PRICE LIST COVERING PARTS AND REPAIRS CARRIED BY US. IF YOU WILL USE THIS PRICE LIST WITH COMPETITIVE PEOPLE YOU WILL FIND THAT WE ARE 10 TO 15 PER CENT LOWER THAN ANYONE. OUR STOCK IS LIMITED AS WE HAVE NOT BEEN ABLE TO GET SHIPMENT ON GOODS BOUGHT. FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED. PRICES GUARANTEED AGAINST ADVANCE UNTIL MARCH 1ST.

Lynchburg Plows		Vulcan Plows	
LINCHBURG	\$7.25	NO. 5 VULCAN	\$5.00
TRUCKER LINCHBURG	8.25	NO. 6 VULCAN	9.00
17 X LINCHBURG	13.00	NO. 9 VULCAN	15.00

Repairs for All Makes of Plows			
LINCHBURG POINTS	.30	LINCHBURG SLIDE	.60
VULCAN POINTS	.30	VULCAN SLIDE	.65
OLIVER POINTS	.30	OLIVER SLIDE	.55
SYRACUSE POINTS	.30	SYRACUSE SLIDE	.55
AVERY POINTS	.30	AVERY SLIDE	.65
		VULCAN WING	\$1.90
		LINCHBURG WING	1.90
		OLIVER WING	1.90
		SYRACUSE WING	1.90
		AVERY WING	1.90

Cole Distributors		Cole Planters	
NO. 15 CORN AND PEANUT	\$25.00	NO. 21 KNOCKER	\$8.50
NO. 3 COTTON AND GUANO	19.50		
NO. 1 COTTON	13.50	NO. 24 CHAIN DRIVE	12.50

LESS 5 PER CENT FOR CASH ON PLANTERS AND DISTRIBUTORS

Complete Stock of Repairs for Cole Planters and Distributors

Ward Hardware Company

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OPP, ——— ALABAMA

THE SOUTH MUST GROW ITS OWN FOOD

NO FARM SECTION CAN BUY ITS
FOOD AND GRAIN AND
GROW RICH.

Atlanta, Ga.—(Special).—"Few people in the South realize the enormous drain there has been on the South's wealth through the steady food and grain buying during the past fifty years. What's the greater pity of it is the fact that most of this money comes directly out of the farm pocket," said H. G. Hastings, of Atlanta, chairman of the Farm and Marketing Bureau of the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce.

"For fifty years or more the cities and towns of the Cotton Belt have been furnishing food and grain to the farmer instead of our farmers feeding the cities and towns. While the cities and towns have had the best of this unnatural business, it has really impoverished both country and city."

"As nearly as can be ascertained, my own state of Georgia has spent in the last 25 years not less than two and one-half billion dollars for food and grain from the North and West and had cash money that ought to be sticking in our farmers' pockets. That money is gone never to return."

"It is no overstatement or exaggeration to say that twenty-five billion dollars of the South's money has gone that way in the last fifty years. It was good, hard worked for farm money. What we have been doing is spending our lives growing cotton, trading it off for bread and meat at no profit to ourselves."

"No use to 'cuss' the powers that be in Washington or the trusts, tariff banks or speculators. They may have had a part but a mighty small part in comparison with the part we ourselves have played. The way to stop that drain on our pockets is to stop buying food, grain and forage and produce those necessary items on home acres."

"The time to start is now. Plans for 1924 are being made. Before a plow is sunk in the ground, food, grain and forage acres should be set aside. These acres should and must be first instead of last consideration. When these are fixed, then the farmer can go as far as he likes with cotton, tobacco or other cash crop safely."

"Give the home garden a chance in this food production. It's a wonderful helper in cutting store bills in half for the folks that will give it a square deal instead of the usual 'fick and a promise' mostly promise. Start the food production procession in 1924, and a money procession will start to ward your pocket."

Gilbert's Salt in 100 lb sacks at SMITH BROTHERS.

THREE-QUARTER LB BABY GIRL BATTLES FOR LIFE.

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 29.—Taking nourishment at the rate of 20 drops of milk and a dram of water every hour, a three-quarter pound baby girl, a twin is making her fight for life at local hospital today. Her sister, who weighed one and a quarter pounds at birth, died this morning. The twins were born late yesterday to Mrs. R. Watson.

WITH ELBA CHURCHES

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Preaching 11:00, a. m. and 7:00 P. M. by Chas. H. Germon Pastor.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.

J. C. Fleming, Superintendent.

The pastor greatly appreciated the splendid attendance at the morning service last Sunday. There is inspiration in good congregations, not only for the pastor, but for all who attend. Let us try to make the evening services as helpful and inspiring as the morning services. Those who miss the evening services often miss blessings that could not be received at any other services.

One special feature of last Sunday's services, was the splendid music. The Clarinet solos, by Mr. Little, were greatly enjoyed by all who heard them. The singing was good, both specials and congregational. Preparation is being made to make the services next Sunday as interesting and helpful as they were last Sunday. The choir and orchestra will meet for practice next Friday evening in preparation for next Sunday's services.

The quarterly meeting of the Baptist Women's Missionary Union was held at New Brockton last Tuesday. Our society was well and ably represented and had a splendid report.

All Baptist, unless providentially hindered should attend both services next Sunday.

METHODIST CHURCH

Preaching every Sunday, at 11:00 A. M. and 7:00 P. M.

F. M. Lowrey, Pastor.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.

Chas. L. Rowe, Supt.

Epworth League, Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

Prayer Service, Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

The church has something you need more than you need anything else, and your wife and children cannot answer "present" for you in church or in heaven, and you will find that character is a joint product of nature, and the latter is obtained only by going to church. Some one has said, "as you stroll down the street and better step into the church and let him pass."

Next Sunday will be communion day and we should like to see every person in the church at the service. We know some men who have not communed in over a year. Why don't you go back where you left off and start over again?

Overheard on the street corner—"Don't mess wid me

Nigger, cause when you does you sho is flirin wid de hearse.

"Don't pesterate wid me nigger" said the other. "don't force me to press dis on you, 'cause if I does I'll hit you so hard I'll separate yo' ideas from yo' habits. I'll jes knock you from amazin' grace 'to floatin' opportunity'."

"I dun tol' you nigger," warned the other, "not to mess wid me. If you does, I'll jes make one pass and dere'll be a man patin you in de face wid a spade tomorrow morning."

And thereupon a mutual friend came up and both forgot all about the episode. But when you "mess" with the devil you cannot forget it, and he will take it to a successful conclusion.

There will be the usual services in the afternoon at Liberty. The last service day was cold. We trust you will come to this one.

Next Tuesday will be the Alabama Missionary conference at Dothan. The Women from all over the conference will represent their respective societies there. Elba will be represented by Mrs. F. M. Lowrey and Mrs. D. C. Marley and Mrs. W. W. Sanders.

"The Forgotten Man," a book dealing with the superannuated preachers of the past is being given out through the church, and you are entitled to one. Read every line of it and see what some of the heroes of the world have endured and accomplished.

We have turned in 16 subscriptions to The Advocate on the club, and as fast as we can get them we shall send them in. Subscribe today.

We extend our sympathies to the bereaved family of Mr. Angus Vaughn, who was buried from the church last week. A large body of friends attended his funeral as they offered a beautiful tribute in flowers.

We are glad to have the membership certificates of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Payne, and children, Henry and Claudine.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible Study, 9:45 A. M.

Prayer Meeting Wednesday Nights of each week.

Ladies meet every Tuesday Afternoon 3:30 o'clock.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.

F. A. Symonds, supt.

You are cordially invited to attend all services.

Bobby—Can't I change my name today, ma?

Mother—What in the world do you want to change your name for?

Bobby—"Cause pa said he will whip me when he gets home, as sure as my name's Robert."

FOOR ORIGINAL